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and mails are landed without restrictions, but no soiled linen is allowed to be landed.

St. Thomas.—Vessels arriving at this colony from New York, Halifax, London, Liverpool, Southampton, and Glasgow at present are admitted to free pratique and the cargo and mails from such vessels are allowed to be landed here without any quarantine restrictions.

Jamaica.—Vessels from the places mentioned are admitted to free pratique, provided their bills of health are clean and all are well on board.

The British consul at Paramaribo reports that the last case of yellow fever there was cured on March 31 and the last case in the districts on the 11th instant. There was 1 case at Albina, 80 miles from Paramaribo, on the 18th instant, and quarantine was at once imposed against that place, with which there is no communication except by a bush road.

Quarantine has been imposed at Barbados against Pernambuco for plague and French Guiana for yellow fever; at Martinique and Guadeloupe against Dutch and French Guiana, Colon and Panama for yellow fever, and the Brazils and South Africa for plague; at St. Thomas against Porto Rico, Vieques, and Culebra for smallpox.

The prices charged at the Jamaica Quarantine Station are 6s., 3s. 6d., and 1s. 6d., and not those mentioned in my circular of 12th instant.

Respectfully,

JAS. SANDERSON,
Clerk Quarantine Board.

The SURGEON-GENERAL,
U. S. Marine-Hospital Service.

BRAZIL.

Reports from Rio de Janeiro.

RIO DE JANEIRO, *March 29, 1902.*

SIR: I have the honor to transmit herewith the official sanitary report for the city of Rio de Janeiro for the week ended March 23, 1902. There were 355 deaths from all causes, an increase of 29 over the preceding week. There were 7 deaths from *accessio pernicioso*, an increase of 2; 46 from yellow fever, an increase of 8; 11 from smallpox, an increase of 7; 7 from typhoid, an increase of 3; 2 from beriberi, an increase of 1; 1 from diphtheria, an increase of 1; 1 from measles, an increase of 1; 2 from whooping cough, an increase of 1, and 46 from tuberculosis, a decrease of 5.

Respectfully,

E. W. AMES,
Sanitary Inspector, U. S. M. H. S.

The SURGEON-GENERAL,
U. S. Marine-Hospital Service.

RIO DE JANEIRO, BRAZIL, *March 31, 1902.*

SIR: I have the honor to transmit herewith the official sanitary report for the city of Rio de Janeiro for the week ended March 30. There were 305 deaths from all causes, a decrease of 50 as compared with the preceding week. There were 4 deaths from *accessio pernicioso*, a decrease of 3; 26 from yellow fever, a decrease of 20; 3 from smallpox, a decrease of 8; 4 from typhoid, a decrease of 3; 1 from beriberi, a decrease of 1; 1 from diphtheria, the same as before; 1 from measles,

the same as before; none from whooping cough, a decrease of 2, and 59 from tuberculosis, an increase of 13.

Respectfully,

E. W. AMES,

Sanitary Inspector, U. S. M. H. S.

The SURGEON-GENERAL,

U. S. Marine-Hospital Service.

RIO DE JANEIRO, BRAZIL, *April 10, 1902.*

SIR: I have the honor to transmit herewith the official sanitary report for the city of Rio de Janeiro for the week ended April 6. There were 368 deaths from all causes, an increase of 61 as compared with the preceding week. There were 13 deaths from *accessio pernicioso*, an increase of 9; 33 from yellow fever, an increase of 7; 7 from smallpox, an increase of 4; 8 from typhoid, an increase of 4; 3 from beriberi, an increase of 2; 1 from diphtheria, the same as before; none from measles, a decrease of 1, and 66 from tuberculosis, an increase of 6.

Respectfully,

E. W. AMES,

Sanitary Inspector, U. S. M. H. S.

The SURGEON-GENERAL,

U. S. Marine-Hospital Service.

BRITISH HONDURAS.

Report from Belize—Fruit port.

BELIZE, HONDURAS, *April 26, 1902.*

SIR: I have the honor to make the following report of the conditions and transactions at this port during the week ended April 26, 1902:

Population according to census of 1901, 9,113; present officially estimated population, about 7,000. Number of cases and deaths from yellow fever during the week, none; number of cases and deaths from smallpox during the week, none; number of cases and deaths from typhus fever during the week, none; number of cases and deaths from cholera during the week, none; number of cases and deaths from plague during the week, none; number of deaths from other causes during the week, 6. General sanitary condition of this port and the surrounding country during the week, good.

Bills of health were issued to the following vessels: April 24, steamship *Managua*; crew, 18; number of passengers from this port, none; number of passengers in transit, none. April 25, steamship *Breakwater*; crew, 36; number of passengers from this port, 10; number of passengers in transit, 16.

Respectfully,

R. H. PETERS,

Acting Assistant Surgeon, U. S. M. H. S.

The SURGEON-GENERAL,

U. S. Marine-Hospital Service.

CANADA.

Inspection of immigrants at Quebec, St. John, and Halifax.

QUEBEC, CANADA, *May 6, 1902.*

SIR: I have the honor to report that for the week ended May 3, there were inspected 508 immigrants; passed, 502; detained, 6. * * *

During the week ended May 3, there were inspected at the port of St. John, New Brunswick, 4 immigrants; passed, 4; detained, none.